



Docket No.: 1095.1187

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Takashi YAMAMOTO

Serial No. 09/875,888

Group Art Unit: 2671

Confirmation No. 9572

Filed: June 8, 2001

Examiner: Peter Pappas

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed February 3, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on May 3, 2004. A Petition for a one-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to June 3, 2004.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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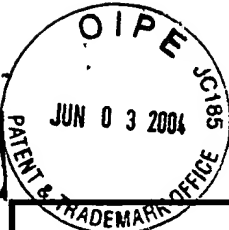
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REPLY/AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL

Attorney Docket No.	1095.1187
Application Number	09/875,888
Filing Date	June 8, 2001
First Named Inventor	Takashi YAMAMOTO
Group Art Unit	2671
AMOUNT ENCLOSED	\$ 196.00
Examiner Name	Peter Pappas

FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 10/01/03)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	15	- 20 =	0	X \$ 18.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	4	- 3 =	1	X \$ 86.00 =	\$ 86.00
Since an Official Action set an <u>original</u> due date of <u>May 3, 2004</u> , petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$110); 2 months (\$420); 3 months (\$950); 4 months (\$1,480); 5					\$ 110.00
If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$330.00)					
If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$110.00)					
Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)					
Total of above Calculations =					\$ 196.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)					
TOTAL FEES DUE =					\$ 196.00

- (1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0".
(2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20".
(4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0".
(5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3".

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METHOD OF PAYMENT

- ☒ Check enclosed as payment. Technology Center 2600
- ☐ Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. below.
- ☐ No payment is enclosed and no charges to the Deposit Account are authorized at this time (unless specifically required to obtain a filing date).

GENERAL AUTHORIZATION

- ☒ If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to:
- Deposit Account No. 19-3935
- Deposit Account Name STAAS & HALSEY LLP
- ☒ The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application.

SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP

Typed Name	Ryan Rafferty	Reg. No.	55,556
Signature	<i>Ryan Rafferty</i>	Date	June 3, 2004